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GRAND MINSTREL FIRST PART AND VAUDEVILLE GIVEN BY SONS OF VETERANS HUGE SUCCESS

Miss Cora Hickman in the "Glendale News" has the following to say of the minstrel and vaudeville show given last Thursday and Friday evenings at the G. A. R. hall by the Sons of Veterans:

The seating capacity of G. A. R. hall was taxed Thursday night by the large number of citizens of Tropico, Glendale and Eagle Rock who assembled to witness the initial performance of the minstrel show and vaudeville which was so creditably presented by N. P. Banks camp, Sons of Veterans.

The first part included the splendid minstrel show that was given at Huntington Beach in August by N. P. Banks camp, when an audience of 2500 people voted it the best program that was given during the ten days' encampment of the Southern California Veterans' association.

The minstrel show included Joseph V. Griffen and Noble Ripley, bones; John Statham and Charles Allen, tambos; Merry Minstrels, Ed Shipman, Harry Shafer, Guy Pixley, De Los Jones and A. J. Van Wie. These comedians were simply one scream from beginning to end. Joseph V. Griffen, in "If You Don't Change Your Living That's the Way You'll Die"; Melvino, the skillful juggler; Charles Allen, "Somewhere a Voice Is Calling"; Jno. Statham, "A Little of Everything," and Noble Ripley in "Lucky Jim," each proved himself a comedian of unusual ability and cleverness. The second number included the olio and consisted of three parts. Number one was W. J. Hibbert in unusual magic; number two, Mrs. Eustace Benton Moore, readings in dialect; number three, Foley and Orndorff, "We Rank With the Rankest." The afterpiece, "A Busy Day at Schmidt's," closed the evening's entertainment. The time was the present, the place Coyote Junction, and the scene Schmidt's eating house. Schmidt was well represented by A. J. Van Wie, whose impersonation of a German was most clever. Mrs. A. J. Van Wie, who is a most versatile artist, impersonated Schmidt's daughter and a Salvation lassie in a most creditable manner.

Charles Allen was the sheriff, one of the wild west sort; Edward Shipman and Harry Shafer were stranded actors, and acted the part so cleverly that one was almost persuaded that they were actually the "real thing." John Statham, who is an artist in whatever role he performs, was truly

ly the hungry but happy hobo.

Schmidt's waitress was none other than Miss Doris Dunbar, whose cabaret dancing made a hit. Joseph V. Griffen, who is the author of the skit, was most clever as a Mexican or bad man, and as usual, with Mr. Griffen taking a leading part the busy day at Schmidt's was all that could be desired.

Noble Ripley was an ideal station agent. Mrs. A. J. McAdams assisted as accompanists. W. J. Hibbert as an Indian portrayed with cleverness the agility and cunning traits of the red man.

The splendid program closed by all participants singing "Gee, But It's Good to See a Show From Your Home Town."

The minstrel show and vaudeville presented by N. P. Banks Camp, Sons of Veterans, in G. A. R. hall, Tropico, Thursday and Friday nights of last week, proved to be of unusual interest to the large audiences that greeted these local performers upon both occasions.

Each number was well given, but the writer was especially interested in the versatility of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Van Wie.

Mrs. Van Wie, who possesses a very sweet soprano voice and a most charming personality, gave several vocal numbers. This clever vocalist appeared to special advantage in a Dutch song, which was interspersed by the clever clog dancing of Mr. Van Wie. Again, as a Salvation lassie she made a hit.

Upon numerous and divers occasions A. J. Van Wie has achieved success for himself in whatever role he has essayed to appear. He has always proven a genius and added a vim to his character role in a most finished manner. As Schmidt in the afterpiece, "A Busy Day at Schmidt's" (of which Joseph V. Griffen is author), Van Wie proved himself a professional in his clever make-up and the natural manner in which he portrayed the character of the kind-hearted, trusting and unsophisticated German, who "kept" the railroad eating house at Coyote Junction. Van Wie can act—he can sing—he can clog—and he can assume, with credit to himself and all who assist him, any character role, in a finished and professional manner.

—One of the Audience.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEET IN REGULAR WEEKLY SESSION

All members present. City Clerk absent. Trustee Alspach acted as clerk. Minutes of last meeting laid over.

Communication from J. Karl Lobdell addressed to Street Superintendent referred to clerk.

Report of City Marshal referred back for corrections.

Report of former Recorder Melrose laid over until next meeting.

Report of Building Inspector accepted and ordered filed.

Representatives from claimholders against Burk & McCombs on the improvement of Cypress street were present and presented arguments to still hold up the issue of bonds until their several claims could be settled. Trustee Henry moved that Street Superintendent refuse to certify the warrant to the City Treasurer, together with the list of unpaid accounts in connection with the contract of McCombs & Burk for the improvement of Cypress and Boynton streets until all outstanding claims for labor and material furnished for said improvement work on file with Street Superintendent have been paid and all said claims released. Motion carried.

Ordinance licensing and regulating business read for third time and ordered passed.

Upon motion notice of objections for assessment on Acacia avenue was laid over until next meeting.

BROWN LEGHORNS ARE STANDARD LAYERS IN SOME SECTIONS

They are the standard for layers in the different parts of the world. They are probably more admired for beauty than other chickens, because of their graceful symmetry, being very alert and spry, with beautiful blending of colors. There are two varieties of browns known to breeders, one as the "cockerel line," and the other as the "pullet line," since we exhibit the males of "cockerel line" and females from the "pullet line." The exhibition male is "cockerel line" male is same shape in all sections as all other male leg-horns. In color his dark or black colors are usually beetle green-black. His neck, back and saddle feathers have a green-black stripe in each feather bordered with cherry red-wing butts also red. His mate is same color in neck as the male nearly as can be found but scarcely so nice there. Her body color is not uniform, but some are nearly black with breast mottled or even black. The "pullet line" male is like the male above in all save the "red sections" he is an orange-red shade same stripe in neck, but has cinnamon or dull red stripe in back stripe with some mottled or metallic splashes among some of stripes of black. His mate has any shade of salmon breast color; neck has a black stripe, surrounded by a blend of "lemon-orange" lace. Her wings and back match in a soft brown finely stippled any shade of brown is suitable, just so it runs evenly one uniform color in wing; and back must match wing. Her tail, like other type, is black. All browns have yellow legs, though they often are bleached by soil, etc., till often flesh color—some will assume yellow again under suitable conditions. Notice this variety carefully and it will interest you. The cockerels mature a month earlier than pullets for fryers. They are good in quality of flesh for table—and very hardy fowls.

VETERAN ANSWERS TO FINAL MUSTER ROLL AND GOES HOME

Albert Chadwick, beloved husband of Mrs. Mary Chadwick, and father of Mrs. Robert Danner, Mrs. G. E. Martin and Miss Florence Chadwick, passed away at his home, 301 South Glendale avenue, Thursday morning, September 30, at 5 o'clock, after a brief illness.

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon, October 2, at 3 o'clock, at the G. A. R. hall, under the auspices of the N. P. Banks Post, G. A. R., of which he was a member. Interment was made at Forest Lawn cemetery, under the auspices of the Masons, the Blue lodge ritual being used. Chaplain Norton delivered a very touching address over the remains. Mrs. Eustace B. Moore and Mrs. H. Boring sang two songs, "Nearer My God to Thee," and "Abide With Me." Pallbearers, all life-long friends of the deceased, were: G. B. Singleton, Glendale; W. D. Singleton, Azusa; W. H. May, Everett; May, Pomona; J. F. Ledlie, Pasadena; W. W. Stephenson, Los Angeles.

Scovern-Letton-Frey Company were the funeral directors in charge.

Among those from out-of-town who attended the sad rites were many of the family's old friends from the old home town in Kansas, and included W. D. Singleton and wife and son, and Mrs. Amos Linton of Azusa, W. H. May, Everett May and wife of Pomona, Theodore Jacobs and wife, Henry Jacobs and wife, and J. F. Ledlie of Pasadena, D. E. Strahl of National City, and Mrs. Emma Phelan of Lincoln, aunt and of cousin of Chadwick; Mrs. Belle Connell of Willowbrook; Mrs. Clifford and G. B. Singleton of Glendale, Claude Beck and wife of Eagle Rock, W. W. Stephenson and wife of Los Angeles, Ole Olsen and wife and Mrs. Edith McClellan of San Pedro.

Albert Chadwick

Albert Chadwick was born March 22, 1839, near Petaskala, Ohio, where he remained until 1872. At the first call he enlisted as a private in Company D, Twenty-second Ohio Infantry, where he served for three years, being honorably discharged wearing sergeant's stripes. In 1872 he removed to Walnut, Kansas. He was married October 8, 1876, to Miss Mary Thompson, and in 1908 the family moved to Tacoma, Wash. Four years ago they removed to San Pedro, two and a half years later to Tropico.

With the exception of a short time as a school teacher, Mr. Chadwick engaged in the farming business up to the time of his retirement. While not exactly a recluse, Mr. Chadwick made but very few friends, and his life in Tropico was preferably with his family, where he found solace in books and the daily papers. He was abreast of the times and could converse fluently on all topics of the day.

He was a member of the G. A. R., a Royal Arch Mason and belonged to the A. O. U. W.

LAUNDRY DRIVER HURT

C. C. Graham, who was seated in a laundry wagon along with the driver, Mr. Fennimore, Saturday morning, was thrown out of a wagon turned turtle at the corner of San Fernando road and Oxford street. The street was exceedingly wet and slippery at that point and the auto skidded and turned completely over. The driver, Fennimore, escaped without injury; but Graham was thrown under the wagon and fractured his skull. He was taken to the Methodist hospital and is in a very precarious condition. The auto belonged to the Welch-Overall Laundry of Los Angeles. Dr. Kellogg of the Glendale Sanitarium, attended the injured man.

EXPERIMENTS PROVE THAT WIRELESS TELEPHONY IS AN ACCOMPLISHED FACT WITHOUT A DOUBT

Wireless telephony from the Atlantic seaboard to Hawaii, distance 4900 miles, is an accomplished fact today, the special wireless telephone developments which have been made by the engineers of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company and of the Western Electric Company. Speech was transmitted from Washington to a wireless station near Honolulu.

If anything further was needed to show the wonderful capacity of this new discovery by the engineers of the Bell system, this last triumph coming but a few hours after Mr. Vail, the president of the company, had talked by wireless from Washington to Mr. Carly, chief engineer, located at Mare Island, near San Francisco, is conclusive. The distance over which this wireless communication was held is greater than the distance from New York to London, New York to Paris, or from New York to many other important points, such as Rome, Vienna and Berlin.

That trans-Atlantic wireless telephone communication is assured as soon as the disturbed condition in Europe will permit of tests from this country to there is obvious when it is remembered that all scientists agree on the fact that it is much more difficult to send wireless communications across land than across water. This wonderful wireless telephone from Washington to Hawaii, had to pass over the whole of the United States, a distance of 2500 miles, before it encountered the more simple wireless conditions which exist when sending over large bodies of water. For the purpose of this test the sending was done from the Navy wireless station at Arlington just outside of Washington. The receiving was done on a small wireless antenna specially equipped for the purpose by the engineers of the telephone company, which by permission of the naval authorities, was located at the United States naval station at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii. The message at Honolulu was received by Lloyd Espenschied, an engineer of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company, who had been sent there by Mr. J. J. Carly, its chief engineer, to take charge of the observations, the successful results of which we are now able to report. It was learned from Mr. Bancroft Gherardi, the engineer of plant of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company, who is one of Mr. Carly's staff, who has been working on this problem, that the results obtained in talking by wireless tele-

phone from New York and Washington to San Francisco and Hawaii, were a culmination of long and very important investigations and discoveries which have been made by the engineers of the Bell System. These investigations have extended over a considerable period. During the early spring of this year, as result of the work already done, the engineers of the telephone company talked over a distance of about 250 miles, using for the purpose an experimental tower which they had erected near Montauk Point, L. I., a small tower borrowed for the purpose from private owners at Wilmington, Delaware. Soon after that they talked over 1000 miles, in this case using the experimental tower at Montauk Point and an experimental tower erected for the purpose at St. Simons Island, Ga.

The results of these tests so conclusively demonstrated the correctness of their work and its possibilities that steps were immediately taken to try distances comparable with those involved in trans-Atlantic telephony, and indeed, even looking to trans-Pacific telephony. What the results of these further tests have been is shown by the talks to San Francisco and Hawaii. Another interesting feature of the tests, is that in a practical way, the ability to connect wireless telephone system with wire telephone systems was shown. You have no doubt noted that Mr. Vail in his talk used wire from New York to Washington. At Washington, by the special means invented and developed by the engineers of this company, the wires were connected to our special wireless apparatus and to the Navy's wireless tower, where the message went wirelessly to its destination. Mr. Gherardi, when asked what was the place of wireless telephony in the general scheme of communication, stated that he expected that it would form a most important adjunct and extension to the existing schemes of communication. But its means of communication can be established between points where it is impracticable to extend wires. For many reasons wireless telephony can never take the place of wire system, but it may be expected to supplement them in a useful manner. Wireless telephone systems are subject to serious interference from numerous conditions, atmospheric and others. For many uses the fact that any one suitably equipped can listen in on the wireless telephone talk would be a serious limitation to its use.

PRIZES FOR SCHOOLS TO BE AWARDED NEXT SATURDAY

The awarding of the cash prizes to the city and county school winners in the 1915 General Committee beautification contest will be next Saturday, October 9th, at Exposition park, Los Angeles, beginning at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

Forty prizes will be given the county schools and women's clubs in amounts ranging from \$75 to \$500. Forty-six city schools will get similar awards and 816 little home gardeners in the city will receive amounts varying from \$2.50 to \$35. The principals of the winning schools and all of the home gardener prize winners are especially invited to attend the exercises.

The Los Angeles City and County band will play a concert from 1 to 2 o'clock while the crowd is gathering. Motley H. Flint, chairman of the 1915 General Committee, will preside

TROPICO CITY BAND IS AN ASSURED FACT

Some fifteen band enthusiasts met at the K. P. hall Tuesday evening and organized a brass band. The fifteen present pledged themselves to become members and it is possible that a band of 24 pieces will be working in a short time. The next meeting will be held next Wednesday evening at the K. P. hall, and it is hoped that everyone interested will be present to help boost the band. Bring your instruments.

and addresses will be made by J. H. Francis, superintendent of the city schools; Mark Keppel, superintendent of county schools, and R. W. Pridham, chairman of the county board of supervisors, which authorized the prizes. W. M. Bowen, chairman of the city beautifying committee, and J. L. Matthews, chairman of the county beautifying committee, will distribute the prizes. There will be music and special dances by children on the program.

MOTHERS' CLUB OF ACACIA ST. SCHOOL IS ORGANIZED

Miss May Cornwell and Miss Gladys Hamilton, instructors at the Acacia avenue school, were most happily surprised, Thursday afternoon, September 30, when no less than thirty-five mothers, patrons of the school, assembled at the school building and after inspecting and enjoying the work of the pupils who attend there, decided to organize a society for the welfare of pupils and teachers alike, and which will be known as the Mothers' Club of the Acacia street school, and is in no way connected with the Parent-Teachers' association. The officers chosen for this Mothers' Club are: Mrs. R. M. Todd, president; Mrs. Edward Strong, vice president; Mrs. W. C. Wattles, secretary; Miss May Cornwell, treasurer. Meetings will be held the third Friday afternoon of each month, in the Acacia avenue school. Following the business meeting, light refreshments were served, by Mrs. Herman Melrose, Mrs. Edward Strong, Mrs. George Ballentine, Mrs. Weihe and Mrs. L. L. Baum, as hostesses.

SONS OF REVOLUTION GET MUCH LARGER QUARTERS

The Society, Sons of the Revolution, and the Society, Colonial Wars, have been forced to seek larger quarters. A three-year lease has been signed for rooms 621 to 625 Citizens' National Bank building, at Fifth and Spring streets.

In the new library which they hope to have in order early in October will be found many accommodations for the members and their friends. A place to drop into for a quiet hour, and a pleasant meeting place for out-of-town members.

As a club room it will be well equipped. There will be facilities for correspondence, current magazines, and the rooms are quiet, cool and restful. Quite a number of the members make the library headquarters following the lunch hour. Why not join them in their centrally located library, and become better acquainted. The members of both societies having keys to the old rooms can have them exchanged for new keys upon presentation at the library.

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Glendale. Services in the Masonic Hall on Brand Boulevard. Sunday, 11 a. m.; Wednesday, 8 p. m. Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. Reading room, Parker & Sternberg Bldg., 415 1/2 Brand Blvd., open daily from 12 to 4 p. m.

A FREE READING ROOM

Is maintained by First Church of Christ, Scientist, of Glendale, at 415 1/2 Brand Blvd., and is open daily except Sundays and holidays from 12 m. to 4 p. m. The Bible and all authorized Christian Science literature may be read or purchased in this room. The public is cordially invited to visit the reading-room.

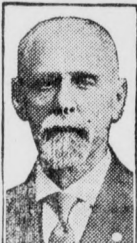
HOLY FAMILY, 311 W. Lomita Ave., Glendale—Rev. Jas S. O'Neil rector. Holy mass on Sundays at 8 and 10:30. Sunday school at 9 o'clock. Baptisms at 2 p. m. Week day mass at 7:30 p. m.

Suet.

To keep suet fresh chop roughly and sprinkle with a little granulated sugar.

OUR PUBLIC FORUM

PETER RADFORD,
On Church and State.



The recent action of one of the leading churches of this nation, in annual convention, demanding that the laymen vote only for candidates for office whose views coincide with those of the clergy on one of the leading political issues and direct efforts of other church organizations to interfere with the freedom of the ballot make one of the greatest perils of this age, and present a problem that should receive thoughtful consideration of both laymen and citizens.

Sucking babies may well squirm in their cradles when ministers in convention assembled release the hearts of men and grab them by the throat, for Christianity has broken down, religion has become a farce and the pulpit a failure. When the church substitutes force for persuasion, command for conviction and coercion for reason the sheriff had as well pass the sacrament, plain-clothes men take charge of the altar and policemen bury the dead, for why a church?

It is as dastardly a crime against government for a minister to undertake to deliver the votes of his parishioners to a candidate, as it is for a ward heeler to deliver a block of voters to a political boss, and both ought to be prosecuted, for the law should be no respecter of persons.

It is as objectionable for a convention of ministers to seek by canonical law to control the votes of church members as it would be for a convention of manufacturers to issue orders for their employees to vote for a certain candidate. Such conduct is offensive to decency, business morals and a crime against society. Any convention, whether composed of saints or sinners, rich or poor, white or black, that seeks to prostitute power and coerce conscience ought to be broken up by the police and its leaders arrested for treason.

A crime by any other name is a crime just the same. An ecclesiastical robe cannot sanctify treason, authority to preach does not carry with it license to become a political ring-leader, or the right to teach us how to pray give a permit to tell us how to vote. No man in joining the church should sacrifice his citizenship, forfeit his constitutional liberties or subordinate his duty to state. The church many times has been drenched with the blood of our forefathers, fighting to throw off the ecclesiastical yoke from the state, and the suggestion of a return to these medieval conditions with their horror and their torture should not be tolerated for a moment.

Laws should be passed prohibiting any preacher, or combination of preachers, from delivering or attempting to deliver their membership or congregation to any candidate for office and suitable legislation should be passed preserving the sanctity of the pulpit from political vandalism. It is as much a menace to church and state for a politician to occupy the pulpit as for a minister to preach a political sermon. He has no more right to preach his politics from the pulpit than a teacher has to teach his politics to his pupils. A preacher cannot make political trickery righteous by usage any more than he can make profanity respectable by practice. It is one of the ironies of fate that a preacher may become a scandal as well as a glory to civilization.

RESOLUTION OF INTENTION NO. 217

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE CITY OF TROPICO DECLARING ITS INTENTION TO IMPROVE BY INSTALLING AN ORNAMENTAL LIGHTING SYSTEM ON SAN FERNANDO BOULEVARD FROM THE NORTH-WESTERLY LINE OF BRAND BOULEVARD TO A LINE DRAWN PARALLEL TO AND FIVE FEET NORTHERLY FROM THE NORTHERLY LINE OF TROPICO AVENUE IN SAID CITY.

The Board of Trustees of the City of Tropic do resolve as follows:

SECTION 1.

That the public interest and convenience require, and it is the intention of the Board of Trustees of the City of Tropic, State of California, to order the following street work to be done in said city, to-wit:

FIRST

That thirty-two (32) cast iron lighting posts, together with concrete foundations, wires, lamps, sockets, globes and all appliances for the purpose of lighting with electricity San Fernando Boulevard from the Northwestern line of Brand Boulevard to a line drawn parallel to and five feet Northerly from the Northerly line of Tropic Avenue be constructed along the West curb line and along the East curb line of said portion of San Fernando Boulevard. Also that an armored cable be constructed along the East curb line and along the West curb line of said portion of San Fernando Boulevard and connecting each of the above described lighting posts, and also an armored cable shall be constructed across the roadway of San Fernando Boulevard at a point three feet Northerly from the Northerly line of Tropic Avenue and also at a point one hundred and twenty-three (123) feet Southerly from the Southerly line of Mira Loma Avenue, said cables to connect with the cable along the Easterly curb line and along the Westerly curb line of San Fernando Boulevard, said cable to be constructed for the purpose of forming one complete and unbroken circuit of all the cable laid when connected with the wires within the lighting posts. And also that two (2) armored cables be constructed to extend from the nearest lighting posts to the first cross arm of the Pacific Light and Power Company's poles situated on the Northwestern corner of San Fernando Boulevard and El Bonito Avenue. Also that two (2) rubber covered wires shall be installed to connect the lamp receptacle at the top of the post with the pot-head connecting the cable at the base of each post. All said iron lighting posts and armored cable, together with insulated wires to be constructed within the posts, shall be constructed between the points and on the lines and grades and with the lamps, appliances and appurtenances designated therefor as shown on plans Numbers 63 and 64, Profile No. 63, Cross Section No. 63, and in further accordance with special specification for the purpose of lighting with electricity San Fernando Boulevard from the Northwestern line of Brand Boulevard to a line drawn parallel to and five feet Northerly from the Northerly line of Tropic Avenue in the City of Tropic, which said special specification, plans, profile and cross sections were duly adopted for said work by a Resolution No. 216 of the Board of Trustees of the City of Tropic.

SECTION 2.

That the Board of Trustees of the City of Tropic hereby declares that the district in the City of Tropic benefited by said work or improvement and to be assessed to pay the costs and expenses thereof is described as follows:

All that portion of the City of Tropic included within the following described exterior boundary lines, to-wit:

Beginning at a point which is the Southeastern corner of Block B of the Santa Eulalia Tract as shown in Book 16, pages 78 and 79 of Records of Los Angeles County; thence along the Easterly line of said Block B to the Northerly corner thereof; thence Westerly in a straight line to the Southeastern corner of Lot 12 of Block A of the above described Santa Eulalia; thence Northerly along the Easterly line of Lots 12, 13 and 14 to the Northerly corner of Lot 14 of said Block A; thence Westerly along the Northerly line of said Lot 14 to the Southwest corner of Lot 18 of said Block A; thence Northerly along the Westerly line of said Lot 18 to the Northwest corner thereof; thence Westerly in a straight line to the Southeast corner of Lot 16 of Block 6 of the Tropic Boulevard Tract, as recorded in Book 4, page 55 of Records of Los Angeles County; thence Northerly along the Easterly line of said Lot 16 to the Northerly corner thereof; thence Westerly along the Northerly line of said Lot 16 to the Northerly corner thereof; thence in a straight line to the most Easterly corner of Lot 1, Block 4 of the Vine Cottage Tract, as recorded in Book 59, page 18 of Miscellaneous Records of Los Angeles County; thence Northerly along the Northerly line of Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 of said Block 4 to the Northerly corner of Lot 8 of the said Block 4; thence in a straight line to the most Easterly corner of Lot 1, Block 1 of the Vine Cottage Tract, as recorded in Book 59, page 18 of Miscellaneous Records of Los Angeles County; thence Northerly along the Northerly line of said Lot 1 to the Northerly corner thereof; thence Southwesterly along the Northerly line of said Lot 1 to the most Westerly corner thereof; thence Southwesterly in a straight line to the most Northerly corner of Lot 1, Block 1 of the W. C. B. Richardson's Subdivision, as recorded in Book 18, page 34 of Miscellaneous Records of Los Angeles County; thence Southwesterly along the Northerly line of said Lot 1 to the most Westerly corner thereof; thence Southwesterly along the Southwesterly line of said Lot 1 to the most Southerly corner thereof; thence in a straight line to the most Westerly corner of Lot 12, Block 2, of the W. C. B. Richardson's Subdivision as

recorded in Book 18, page 34 of the Miscellaneous Records of Los Angeles County; thence Southwesterly along the Southwesterly line of Lots 12, 11, 10, 9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2 and 1 of said Block 2, to the most Southerly corner of Lot 1 of said Block 2; thence in a straight line to the most Westerly corner of Lot 4 of Block 4 of Tract No. 910 as recorded in Books of Maps 16, page 133 of Records of Los Angeles County; thence along the Southwesterly line of Lots 4, 3, 2 and 1 of said Block 4 to the most Southerly corner of Lot 1 of said Block 4; thence in a straight line to the most Westerly corner of Lot 5 of Block 3 of said Tract No. 910; thence Southwesterly in a straight line to the most Southerly corner of Lot 13 of Tract No. 987, as recorded in Map Book 16, page 196 of Records of Los Angeles County; thence Easterly along the Southeastern line of said Lot 13 to the Southeastern corner thereof; thence Northerly along the Easterly line of said Lot 13 to the Northerly corner thereof; thence Northerly in a straight line to the point of beginning. Excepting therefrom any portion of any public street which may be included within the above described assessment district, all as shown on Map No. 63, approved by the Board of Trustees of the City of Tropic and adopted as the Assessment District of the above described work by Resolution No. 216. Said map is on file in the office of the City Engineer and is hereby referred to for a more complete and detailed description of said district. All references in said district are made to records of Los Angeles County, California.

SECTION 3.

The Board of Trustees of the City of Tropic determines that serial bonds shall be issued to represent assessments of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) or over for the cost of said work of improvement; said serial bonds shall extend over a period ending nine (9) years from and after the second day of January next succeeding the date of said bonds and an even annual proportion of the principal sum thereof shall be payable, by coupon, on the second day of January every year after their date until the whole is paid; and the interest shall be payable semi-annually, by coupon, on the second days of January and July, respectively, of each year, at the rate of seven (7) per cent per annum on all sums unpaid, until the whole of said principal and interest are paid. Said bonds shall be issued in accordance with the provisions of an Act of the Legislature of the State of California, entitled "An Act to provide a system of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost of street work and improvement within municipalities, and also for the payment of such bonds," approved February 27, 1892, and of all acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

SECTION 4.

The Tropic Interurban Sentinel, a weekly newspaper of general circulation, published and circulated in said City of Tropic, is hereby designated as the newspaper in which this Resolution of Intention and notice of the passage thereof, shall be published in the manner and by the persons required by law.

SECTION 5.

The Superintendent of Streets of said City of Tropic is hereby directed to post notices of the passage of this Resolution in the manner and in the form required by law, and to cause a similar notice to be published by one insertion in said newspaper in the manner required by law.

SECTION 6.

The City Clerk of the said City of Tropic is hereby directed to post this Resolution of Intention conspicuously for two days on or near the chamber door of the Board of Trustees, and to cause the same to be published by two insertions in the manner required by law. In said newspaper, and also to mail to each property owner whose property is to be assessed to pay the costs and expenses of said improvement a postal card containing notice of the passage of this Resolution, and calling attention of the fact that said property is to be assessed for said improvement.

Adopted and approved this 28th day of September, 1915.

(Seal) DANIEL WEBSTER,
President of the Board of Trustees of the City of Tropic.

Attest:

NELSON C. BURCH,

City Clerk of the City of Tropic.

State of California, City of Tropic, ss. I, Nelson C. Burch, City Clerk of the City of Tropic, do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted by the Board of Trustees of the City of Tropic, State of California, and signed by the President of said Board at a regular meeting thereof, held on the 28th day of September, 1915, and that the same was passed by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes: Trustees
Boyce,
Henry
Webster.
Not voting: Trustee
Alsapach.
Noes: None.
Absent: Trustees
Conrad,

NELSON C. BURCH,
City Clerk of the City of Tropic.

How Could She Tell?
Mrs. Williams, who had recently returned from abroad, was attending an afternoon tea which was given in her honor.
"And did you really go to Rome?" asked the hostess.
"I really don't know, my dear," replied Mrs. Williams. "You see, my husband always bought the tickets."—Current Opinion.

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On Monday evening thieves attempted to enter the home of Claude Hill on West Cypress street, but were frightened away before they succeeded.

Owing to the passing away of Albert Chadwick last Thursday, the Parent-Teachers' meeting, scheduled to take place last Friday, was postponed until Friday, October 8.

The home of Jas. Flathers on Oak drive was entered by sneakthieves last Sunday while the family were absent, and the robbers purloined many dollars' worth of property.

J. Herbert Smith, manager of the Tropico Mercantile Co., left last Saturday for a vacation of from two weeks to a month. He will visit the Elks' convention and the exposition at San Francisco, as well as Oakland and other points of interest.

For ambulance service call Glendale 143--both phones. Scovern, Letten, Frey Co., corner Brand and Acacia, Tropico.

Died—Daniel B. Adams, 1432 1/2 Mohawk street, Los Angeles, October 2, 1915, aged 84 years. Services October 4 at Los Angeles Crematory. Leaves wife and daughter, Mrs. A. W. Obert, Hollywood. Scovern-Letten-Frey Co., funeral directors.

The home of George H. Peck, 325 W. Tenth street, was entered by thieves last Sunday evening and jewelry, amounting to a neat sum, were taken. The robbers entered a window and the family upon returning surprised them at work. Unfortunately, the robbers got away before anyone realized what was going on.

With the exceptional pitching of Jay Rice last Sunday, the Tropico boys held down the Bonny Braes and the final score was settled in thirteenth inning by calling the score 4 to 4 with a promise of a return game. Next Sunday the boys will play the Commerce Club.

Gustav A. Blix passed away at the residence of his father on Cahuenza avenue, Lankershim, September 28, of pneumonia, aged 29 years. He was a native of Sweden and had lived in Lankershim nine years. Funeral services were held at 2:30 Thursday afternoon from the undertaking parlors of the Scovern-Letten-Frey company, Tropico, and interment was at Forest Lawn.

Plans for the entertainment of the American Electric Railway association members who will arrive in Southern California Tuesday, October 12th, are going forward under the direction of General Manager J. McMillan of the Pacific Electric, who is chairman of the Southern California Committee of Entertainment.

Immediately following the National Convention of the association, which will be held in San Francisco October 4th to 8th, the special trains will head southward, bringing with them representatives of 37,000 miles of electric railway in the United States.

General Chairman McMillan, with the active co-operation of every electrical concern in Southern California, has prepared a program which takes care of the visitors from the time they cross the Tehachapi until they leave the state.

NOTICE OF HEARING OF PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

No. 30349

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles.

In the matter of the estate of Martha R. Winnie, also known as M. R. Winnie, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the petition of W. B. Pratt for the probate of will of Martha R. Winnie, also known as M. R. Winnie, deceased, and for the issuance of letters testamentary thereon to said W. B. Pratt, will be heard at 2 o'clock p. m., on the 11th day of October, 1915, at the Court Room of Department 2 of the Superior Court of Los Angeles County, California.

Dated September 22, 1915.

H. J. LELANDE, Clerk.
By H. H. Doyle, Deputy Clerk
DWIGHT W. STEPHENSON, Tropico,
California, attorney for petitioner.

Following is the program for the first meeting of the season of the Tropico Thursday Afternoon club, to be held at the G. A. R. hall Thursday, October 7th:

"Get Together Day."

All-day meeting under the direction of the Philanthropic Committee.

Donation day.

10:00 a. m.—Philanthropic work.

12:30 p. m.—Luncheon.

2:30 p. m.—"California Artists and Their Work," with stereopticon, Miss Alma May Cook, auspices of the California Art club.

Hostesses: Mrs. Hal Davenport, Mrs. Wesley Bullis, Mrs. E. V. Bacon, Mrs. S. E. Brown, Mrs. A. H. Gaarder, Mrs. A. J. Frankland, Mrs. Thomas Gaither.

Announcement of the prize winners in the beautifying Los Angeles county contest, inaugurated September 1, 1914, by the 1915 General Committee, was made Saturday.

East Whittier grammar school won the honor of being the most beautiful floridly decorated school in the county, winning an additional prize of \$400.

J. L. Matthews of Covina is chairman of the subcommittee having in charge the county beautification. The judges were E. H. Lahee of Los Angeles, W. S. Kienholz of Pasadena and W. B. McQueen of Long Beach.

There were 268 schools, 21 women's clubs and numerous municipalities in the contest, which was the greatest concerted effort of the kind ever made. It was so successful that the judges recommend it be made an annual feature, saying the benefits derived are "beyond estimate." It is declared that \$100,000 worth of permanent improvements have resulted from the \$8000 in prizes that will be distributed.

Getting Tiresome.

Little Lulu had been censured for some mischief she had been engaged in. After thinking it over for some time she exclaimed, "Oh, I do wish I had a baby brother!"

"Why do you wish that?"
"Cause," she replied, "this thing of being scolded for everything that happens around this house makes me tired."—Chicago News.

Still There.

Peckham (meeting an old friend)—Why, Dingley, is this you? I haven't seen you for ten years. How are you anyhow? Dingley—Oh, I'm just like I used to be. By the way, Peckham, how's your wife? You used to say you had the boss girl when you were single. Peckham (sadly)—She's still boss.—Life.

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[Signed] A. J. VAN WIE,
Business Manager

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 28th day of September, 1915

[Seal] N. C. BURCH.

Notary Public in and for Los Angeles County

My commission expires March 5, 1917.

NOTICE

The firsts meeting of the Mothers' club of the Acacia Avenue school of Tropico will be held Friday, October 15th, at 3:15 p. m. at the school. Every mother and all those interested in the Acacia Avenue school are urged to attend. A fine program and a good time are assured.

MRS. R. S. TODD, Pres.

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LOST—Last Saturday, bunch of keys. Finder return to City Hall Marshal's office.

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We have a new plan for raising money for churches, women's clubs, and other organizations. No investment is required. If your church needs money, or if you are interested in raising money for any other purpose, write us direct, or hand this advertisement to the president of your Ladies' Aid Society, or the chairman of your Guild, or to your pastor. By merely asking for our "church plan" full particulars will be immediately sent.

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FOR SALE—Singer sewing machine in good order, \$5. 522 N. Glendale ave.

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FOR SALE—Genuine fertilizer for lawn and garden. Ring up Glendale 14-M. Comyn & Morgan.

To Our New Acquaintances

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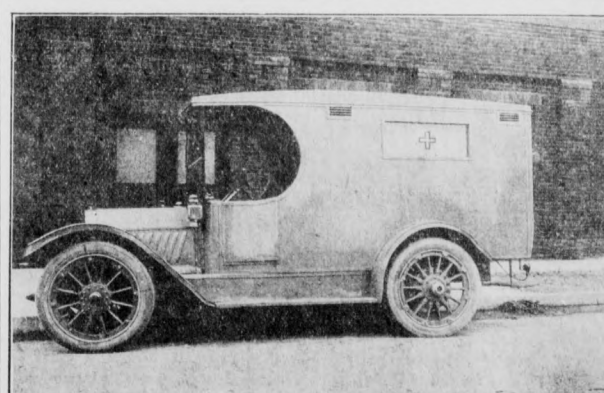
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OCTOBER 9

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The Too Good Man

His Kindness Is Always Repelled.

By M. QUAD

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I've figured it up with slate and pencil, and I've chalked it down and added it up and subtracted it and multiplied it on the barn door, but it always comes out the same—the too good man has no place in this world. He is a sort of cross between a burdock and a sunflower—not ornamental enough for wear nor good enough eating for cows.

Coming up from Red Bank the other day, I followed an old man into the passenger coach. I had noticed him on the platform, and I recognized him as belonging to the species I have named.

The train had scarcely begun to move when my too good man, who had a rear seat, rose up and announced: "Don't nobody be skeered, now. This ain't no collision. It's just like they allus move off. I've rid on 'em more'n a dozen times, and I'll tell you when to jump off."

Everybody looked at him, while some deluded him with smiles meant to be encouraging. He stowed away his satchel and removed an old slouch hat he had been wearing.

There was a woman sitting alone a few seats down the aisle. She had an umbrella, a bundle secured with a shawl strap and two or three parcels on the seat, and as Uncle Jerry passed down the aisle he stopped before her and cheerfully observed:

"Face kinder familiar to me, but I can't remember your name. Never been much of a hand at remembering names, anyhow. Husband flew around and helped ye to git ready, I suppose? Leave the children all right? Been lots o' measles around this year. Didn't leave the outside cellar door open, did ye?"

"I don't know ye," she said as she looked up.

"What! Hain't ye Hanner Jones of Jones' Crossroads?"

"No, sir."

"Waal, I s'wore! I'd bet a two-year-old steer agin a cider barrel that ye was."

The next one he accosted was a man fully as old as himself whose crown was bald and who wore spectacles. He was reading a letter, which he had taken from a corn colored envelope, when Uncle Jerry gave him a playful poke in the ribs and called out:

"Lands, you look just like my brother Bill across the back and head. Goin' somewhar, I s'pose."

"Who did that?" testily exclaimed the old man as he looked up.

"I kinder poked ye, but it hain't nuthin' to git mad at," replied Uncle Jerry. "Folks all well at home, I hope. How'd yer taters keep last winter? Hear any demand fur turnips lately?"

"I want you to stop, I say!" yelled the old man as he waved his arms around.

"Then I will. If ye are so techy as all that I don't want nuthin' to do with ye. Lucky that ye hain't goin' to run fur supervisor in my town. You wouldn't git a blamed vote. Howdy do, naybur?"

This last remark was addressed to a rather savage looking man with a weed on his hat who was reading a magazine.

"I warn you to go on," said the man. "I'm wicked! I'm tuff! I'll hurt ye!"

"By squash, but what a feller ye be! Haul right off and plunk me 'cause I want to be friendly, eh?"

He seemed to be a bit discouraged for a moment, but presently his eye caught the figures of two females at the far end of the car, and he edged along down to see if anything was wanted in his line. The two were mother and daughter, and the latter didn't look well.

"Did she fall down the cellar stairs or pitch off the haymow?" kindly inquired Uncle Jerry as he sat down on the rail of the seat.

"Are ye speakin' of me darter?" demanded the mother.

"Zactly. Doesn't look just right for this time of the year. If I'd only thought I'd bring along a bunch o' mayweed and told ye how to make tea of it. Beats all creation how mayweed takes the kinks out of the system. She ain't in luv, is she?"

"Sir!"

"Naybur o' mine had a gal about her age who begun to ravel out and fade away. They put horseradish drafts to her feet, mustard plasters to her neck and dosed her with catnip, mayweed and sage tea, but she continued to fade off and fade in the wash and finally died. When too late they discovered she had all along bin in luv with Bill Hawes, my hired man, who was so gaul durned bashful that he dassn't say a word about it. Better begin to hunt around the grass and see if somethin' of that sort ain't troublin' her."

"You old critter, go away from here with yer blarney or I'll be the death of ye!" shouted the mother, and as he jumped back she pulled the girl out into the aisle beside her and waved her umbrella in a threatening manner.

"W-what's the rumpus now?" gasped Uncle Jerry in great astonishment.

"If ye don't go I'll call the police!"

"Waal, by gum, if I was to tell this to Lucy when I git home she'd say I fell asleep and had the nightmare. Don't none o' ye seem to want to be sympathized with. I'll go. I'll git right away, and if I had a hull sack of dried catnip and two dozen red peppers here I'd let the whole caboodle of ye suffer. Waal, I just won't say another word, I'm dished if I dew."

The Care of Foodstuffs.

As soon as meat or fish arrives from the market it should be examined in the folds and crevices to make sure there are no eggs left by intruding flies. A wire safe in the cellar is the best place to hang meat. In mutton or in lamb the marrow or soft, fatty substance should be taken from the backbone, as also the thin membrane which appears under steaks and chops, as these decay quickly and, therefore, are liable to taint the whole piece. Never leave meat in paper, but put at once on a clean plate if it is not hung.

Fish should not be laid directly on artificial ice, as the ammonia used is apt to combine with the fish and cause ptomaine poisoning. Do not cover meat or fish tightly before being cooked and never cover cooked food such as soups, meats and vegetables while still hot. Let them cool as rapidly as possible, then cover. Bacon and hams may be kept in any cool place where there is plenty of cold air in circulation about them to prevent mildew. They are best hung, protected by bags of cloth or paper.

Fruits should be kept in a cool, dark place and separated as much as possible. Berries should be poured on large plates or platters and spread out. If the watermelon is too large for the ice chest cover with a wet piece of sack and place where the wind will blow over it. The evaporation will make it delightfully cold. Lemons are best kept by wrapping in tissue paper and hanging in an openwork bag in a cool place. A bag made of netted white string is admirable for this purpose and can be washed when necessary.

Homemade Towels.

A fad has developed among fastidious women for making their own towels. They buy for the purpose fine French birdseye and French huck for their own personal use and German huck for general family use. Of course the fancy towels, which are lace trimmed and embroidered, are not honestly practical.

But those hemstitched are, and either the family initial or some quaint emblem in cross stitch, white or colors, makes a charming finish.

DUTY EVER PRESENT.

A sense of duty pursues us ever. It is omnipresent, like the Deity. If we take to ourselves the wings of the morning and dwell in the uttermost parts of the sea, duty performed or duty violated is still with us, for our happiness or our misery.—Daniel Webster.

CITY TELEPHONES

City Clerk, N. C. Burch
Sunset, Glendale 300
Treasurer, S. E. Brown
Sunset, Glendale 300
Marshal, J. W. Gould
Chief Deputy, Building Inspector,
E. C. Fairfield
Sunset, Glendale 935
Home, Glendale 143
NIGHT CALL
Sunset, Glendale 919
Engineer, F. V. Ashton
Sunset, Glendale 935
Recorder, Geo. C. Melrose
Sunset, Glendale 935
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Sunset, Glendale 857
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NIGHT CALL
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ORDINANCE NUMBER 112

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE CITY OF TROPICO, ILLINOIS, RELATING TO THE LICENSING AND REGULATING THE CARRYING ON OF CERTAIN BUSINESSES AND OCCUPATIONS THEREIN MENTIONED; PROVIDING LICENSE FEES FOR THE SAME AND PROVIDING A PENALTY FOR THE VIOLATION THEREOF AND REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT THEREWITH.

The Board of Trustees of the City of Tropic do ordain as follows:

Section 1.

It shall be unlawful for any person, whether as principal or agent, clerk or employee, either for himself or for any other person, or for any body corporate, or as officer of any corporation, or otherwise, to commence or carry on within the corporate limits of the City of Tropic any business, trade, calling, profession, or occupation, in this ordinance specified, without first having procured a license from said City of Tropic so to do, and each and every day or fractional part of a day that said business, trade, calling, profession or occupation in this ordinance specified, is conducted or carried on without such license, shall constitute a separate violation of this ordinance, and such person who shall for himself, or for any body corporate, or otherwise, commence or carry on such business, trade, calling, profession or occupation as aforesaid, without first having procured a license so to do, shall for each violation of this ordinance, be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction by any court having jurisdiction thereof, shall be fined therein in a sum not exceeding Two Hundred (\$200.00) Dollars or imprisoned in the County Jail of the County of Los Angeles for a term not exceeding three months, or shall suffer both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court, and the amount of such license shall be deemed a debt due to said City of Tropic, and such person shall be liable to an action in the name of the City of Tropic, in any court of competent jurisdiction, for the amount of the license imposed on such business, trade, calling, profession or occupation, as he shall be engaged in, with cost of suit.

Section 2.

It shall be the duty of the City Clerk to prepare and issue a license under this ordinance, for every person, firm or corporation liable to pay a license hereunder, duly signed by said City Clerk, and to state in each license the amount thereof, the period of time for which the same shall run, the name of the person, firm or corporation for whom issued and the business, trade, calling, profession or occupation for which the same is issued, and the location, or place of business, where such business, trade, calling, profession or occupation is to be carried on, and for that purpose the City Clerk may confer with persons in interest and may require any person to file his affidavit as to the character of such business. In no case shall any mistake by the said City Clerk in fixing the amount of such license or the time for which the same is to run, prevent or prejudice the collection for the city of what shall be actually due with all costs against anyone carrying on such business, trade, calling, profession or occupation without a license, or refusing to pay such a rate so fixed by the City Clerk. The City Clerk shall deliver such licenses to the City Marshal for collection, taking his receipt for the same, and the City Clerk shall report to the Board of Trustees, at its first meeting in each month, the amount of such licenses so delivered to the City Marshal during the previous month. The City Marshal shall proceed at once to collect the same, and shall, on or before the first Monday of each month, deliver to the said City Clerk a complete list of all licenses collected by him for the previous month and also a list of all persons whom he believes not to be on the license list and who should be charged with the payment of a license; and he shall pay over to the City Treasurer the amount of all licenses collected by him during the preceding month and shall take the receipt of the City Treasurer for same, which he shall file with the City Clerk and shall report the amount thereof, together with the amount of delinquents to the Board of Trustees at its first meeting in each month. No license for any of the businesses, trades, callings, professions or occupations carried on by any person delinquent for the payment of any license fee hereunder shall be issued to such person, either directly or indirectly, until the payment of all licenses due from such person together with all costs.

The Board of Trustees may require the City Attorney of said City to bring actions for the recovery of said license fees as in this ordinance provided.

Nothing in this section contained, however, shall prevent a criminal prosecution as provided in Section 1 hereof, for any violation of the provisions of this ordinance.

Section 3.

Division "A." All licenses shall be paid in advance, in legal currency of the United States, at the office of the City Marshal. A separate license must be obtained for each branch establishment or separate place of business, in which the business, trade, calling, profession or occupation is carried on, and each license shall authorize the party obtaining it to carry on, pursue or conduct only that business, trade, calling, profession or occupation described in such license, and only at the location or place of business which is indicated therein.

Division "B."—When not otherwise provided in this Ordinance, the monthly license in this ordinance provided shall be due and payable to the said City on the first calendar day of each month in advance, from all persons who have for the previous month been licensed to carry on any such business, trade, calling, profession or occupation; and from all persons who have not been licensed for the previous month for the same business, trade, calling, profession or occupation, the license shall be due and payable and must be procured by such person before commencing to carry on such business, trade, calling, profession, or occupation, and shall extend only to the last day of the month for which such license shall have been obtained.

Division "C."—When not otherwise provided in this Ordinance the annual licenses in this Ordinance provided shall be due and payable to said City on the first day of January of each year and the first license for such year may be issued for the unexpired portion of the current year and the rate to be charged for the same shall be as follows:

First.—When annual licenses are issued prior to April 1st, the total amount of said annual licenses must be paid.

Second.—When annual licenses are issued upon or after April 1st or prior to July 1st, one-fourth (¼) of the amount of said annual licenses shall be deducted.

Third.—When annual licenses are issued upon or after July 1st and prior to October 1st, one-half (½) the total amount of said annual licenses shall be deducted.

Fourth.—When annual licenses are issued upon or after October 1st, three-fourths (¾) of the amount of said licenses shall be deducted.

Division "D."—No greater or less amounts of money shall be charged or received for any license so issued than is provided in this Ordinance, and no license shall be sold or issued for any period of time other than is provided in this Ordinance.

Section 4.

Every person, firm or corporation having a license under the provision of this ordinance shall place and exhibit the same at all times while in force in some conspicuous part of his or their place of business, where said place of business is maintained, and shall produce and exhibit the same

when applying for a renewal or when requested to do so by the City Marshal of said City, or any of his deputies.

Section 5.

Every peddler of goods, wares or merchandise while engaged in peddling shall carry his license and exhibit it when required by the City Marshal of said City or any of his deputies.

Section 6.

Every person driving or having control of any vehicle which is required by this Ordinance to be designated by a number shall procure from the City Clerk a ticket or plate bearing said number, which shall at all times be attached to and carried on said vehicle, in such a manner that said number shall be plainly legible, whether said vehicle shall be in motion or not.

Section 7.

The City Marshal and any of his deputies shall have and exercise the power of

First.—To make arrests for the violation of any of the provisions of this Ordinance.

Second.—To enter free of charge at any place of business for which a license is required by this ordinance and to demand the exhibition of such license for the current term from any person, firm or corporation engaged or employed in the transaction of such business, and if such person, firm or corporation shall then and there fail to exhibit such license, such person, firm or corporation shall be liable to the same penalty as provided under Section 1 of this Ordinance.

It is hereby made the duty of the City Marshal and his deputies to cause complaints to be filed against all persons, firms or corporations violating any of the provisions of this Ordinance.

Section 8.

The conviction and punishment of any person for transacting any business, trade, calling, profession or occupation without a license, shall not excuse or exempt such person from the payment of any license due or unpaid at the time of such conviction, and nothing contained herein shall prevent criminal prosecution for any violation of the provisions of this Ordinance.

Section 9.

When the word "person" or the word "persons" is used in this Ordinance referring to those liable to pay a license or tax, the same are, and each is intended and shall be construed to mean and include every person, firm, association or corporation conducting or carrying on the business, trade, profession, occupation or calling for which such license must first be procured.

Section 10.

Every person obtaining a license for the sale of any article from any wagon or vehicle as hereinabove provided must obtain a number for such vehicle from the City Clerk of said City and shall place a tin, sheet iron or metal placard with such number in a conspicuous place upon such vehicle, and such number shall not be changed by said licensee without the consent of the City Clerk first had and obtained.

Section 11.

The rates of all licenses for the businesses, trades, callings, professions and occupations hereinafter named, shall be, and the same are hereby fixed and established for and within the City of Tropic according to the following schedule and the same shall be paid by all persons engaged in such businesses, trades, callings, professions or occupation as follows, to-wit:

Section 12.

For every person running or operating a dairy with less than three cows, the sum of \$3.00 per year, and for every person running or operating a dairy with three cows or more, the sum of \$6.00 per year.

Section 13.

For every person carrying on the business of selling ice at retail from a wagon, for each of such wagons the sum of Five (\$5.00) Dollars per year when not run in connection with a regularly established business in the City of Tropic.

Section 14.

For every person conducting, managing or carrying on a bowling alley, \$6.00 per year for the first alley and \$6.00 per year for each additional alley, whether the same is in use or not.

Section 15.

For every person engaged in conducting, managing or carrying on the business of a theater, moving picture theater, shooting gallery, skating rink or other place of amusement, \$6.00 per year.

Section 16.

For every person conducting or carrying on the business of selling or contracting for the sale of goods, chattels, wares or merchandise by sample or order, or upon commission for himself or any other person, the sum of \$3.00 per week or \$10.00 per month, payable in advance; provided that no license shall be required from any person whose business is limited to the sale of goods, wares and merchandise at wholesale to retail merchants. It is also provided that nothing in this section contained shall apply to any person having a regularly established place of business in the City of Tropic for the manufacture or sale of such goods, wares or merchandise or to the agents of any such person for which a license is paid.

Section 17.

For every person engaged in the business of dealing in or peddling medicines, who calls attention to his wares or advertises the same by the use of music, entertainment, speech, fancy or grotesque dress or other device, upon any public street or upon any open, unenclosed or vacant lot or parcel of land, whether the actual sale of such wares be made upon said premises or elsewhere, Sixty (\$60.00) Dollars per month, payable in advance.

For every transient merchant or peddler dealing in medicines other than those above mentioned, Thirty (\$30.00)

Dollars per month, payable in advance.

Section 18.

For every person carrying on or conducting the business of advertising by means of posters, circulars, \$6.00 per year. For every person engaged in or carrying on the business of soliciting for any painting, pictures, portraits or orders for changing the same, or orders for advertising, or orders for the sale of goods, wares or merchandise for which a license is not hereinabove fixed and established, when not in conjunction with the carrying on of any store or other place of business in said City of Tropic, the sum of \$3.00 per week or \$10.00 per month.

Section 19.

For every person engaged in carrying on the business of book agent, when not run in connection with any regularly established business in the City of Tropic, the sum of \$3.00 per week or \$10.00 per month.

Section 20.

For every person who carries on, practices or professes to practice the business or art of astrology, palmistry, phrenology, life-reading, fortune-telling, cartomancy, clairvoyance, clairaudience, crystal-gazing, hypnotism, mediumship, prophecy, augury, divination, magic or necromancy, and who demands or receives a fee for the practice, exercise or exhibition of his art therein or who gives an exhibition thereof at any place where an admission fee is charged, \$150.00 per month, payable in advance.

Section 21.

For every person conducting or carrying on a merry-go-round, roller coaster or a Ferris wheel or other similar device, \$10.00 per first day and \$5.00 for each day thereafter.

Section 22.

For every person engaged in the business of dealing in or peddling notions, toys, goods, wares or merchandise, excepting medicines, who calls attention to his wares or advertises the same by the use of music, entertainment, speech, fancy or grotesque dress, or other means or device, upon any public street, or any open, unenclosed or vacant lot or parcel of land, whether the actual sale of such wares is made upon said premises or elsewhere, Sixty (\$60.00) Dollars per month, payable in advance.

Section 23.

For every person engaged in the business of running a tank wagon or other wagon for hauling, peddling or delivering crude oil, petroleum, distillate, kerosene, gasoline, refined oil or any of the products of any oil well, in tanks, steel drums or five-gallon cans, where such wagon is equipped with racks for holding such five-gallon cans, the sum of \$12.00 per year for each tank wagon or other wagon so run; provided that each such wagon shall be designated by a number to be furnished by the City Clerk, and placed upon each wagon in a conspicuous place; provided that, for each such tank wagon or other wagons so run when carrying a load in excess of three tons, an annual license shall be paid as provided in Section 29 of this Ordinance.

Section 24.

Division "A."—For every person engaged in or carrying on the business, calling or occupation of peddling goods, wares, merchandise, meat, fish, bread, pastry, pickles, fruit, vegetables, trees or plants, \$9.00 for three months for each wagon, cart, basket or other receptacle used by said person in said calling, business or occupation for the conveyance of said goods, wares, merchandise, fruit, vegetables, trees or plants; provided that each of said persons shall have each of his wagons, carts, baskets or other receptacles used for the conveyance of said goods, wares, merchandise, fruit, vegetables, trees or plants designated by a number to be furnished by the City Clerk, and placed upon such wagon, cart, basket or other receptacle in a conspicuous place; it is also provided that the provisions of this section shall not apply to persons peddling the products of their own farm, garden or orchard, and it is also provided that the provisions of this division do not apply to any person or persons included in the provisions of Division "B."

Division "B."—For every person engaged in or carrying on the business, calling or occupation of peddling goods, wares, merchandise, meat, fish, bread, pastry, pickles, fruit, vegetables, trees or plants when run in connection with a regularly established business in the City of Tropic, or maintaining an office or headquarters in the City of Tropic, \$3.00 for three months for each wagon, cart, basket or other receptacle; provided that each of said persons shall have each of his wagons, carts, baskets or other receptacles used for the conveyance of said goods, wares, merchandise, fruit, vegetables, trees or plants designated by a number to be furnished by the City Clerk and placed upon such wagon, cart, basket or other receptacle in a conspicuous place.

Section 25.

For every person running or operating an electrical shop or engaged in the business of selling electrical supplies, or installing the same, the sum of \$15.00 per year, payable annually in advance.

Section 26.

For every person engaged in the business of running or conducting a plumbing shop or business of installing plumbing fixtures, gas piping or performing any labor for which a plumbing permit is required, the sum of \$15.00 per year, payable annually in advance.

Section 27.

For every person conducting, managing or carrying on a trained animal show, not exhibited as a part of a circus, \$10.00 per day for the first day and \$5.00 per day for each succeeding day thereafter.

Section 28.

For every person conducting, managing or carrying on a circus, \$50.00 per day for the first day and \$10.00 per day for each succeeding day there-

after.

Section 29.

For every person operating any cart, dray, wagon, automobile or vehicle for the transportation of freight or goods for hire, or for hauling lumber, gravel, sand or merchandise or materials, shall pay an annual license for each cart, dray, wagon, automobile, or other vehicle, in accordance with the following schedule: For each automobile truck exceeding three tons capacity and not exceeding four tons capacity, \$10.00; for each automobile truck exceeding four tons capacity and of not more than six tons capacity, \$20.00 per year; for each automobile truck exceeding six tons capacity, \$40.00 per year.

Section 30.

For every person conducting, managing or carrying on a business of running an auto bus, auto car or any kind of vehicle propelled by other than animal power for the purpose of carrying passengers for hire, shall pay a license as follows:

For each motor bus capable of seating seven (7) or less persons, including the driver, \$10.00 per year.

For each motor bus capable of seating more than seven (7) and less than thirteen (13), including the driver, \$20.00 per year.

For each motor bus capable of seating thirteen (13) persons or over, including the driver, \$30.00 per year.

Section 31.

For every person engaged in the business of purchasing or gathering junk or rubbish, the sum of \$12.00 per year.

Section 32.

Division "A."—For every person running any wagon or other vehicle for the collection or delivery of laundry and who does not maintain an office or headquarters in the City of Tropic from which such wagon is operated, the sum of \$9.00 for three months for each wagon or vehicle.

Division "B."—For every person running any wagon or other vehicle for the collection or delivery of laundry, who maintains an office or headquarters in the City of Tropic, from which such wagon is operated, the sum of \$3.00 for three months for each wagon or vehicle.

Section 33.

For every person, firm or corporation who sells real estate or any goods or merchandise or live stock at public auction, \$5.00 per day, payable in advance.

Section 34.

Nothing in this ordinance shall be construed as imposing a license or tax or otherwise regulating or restricting foreign or interstate commerce and any business or portion thereof which is embraced in the term "Interstate Commerce" is not made subject to a license by this ordinance.

Section 35.

All licenses issued under this ordinance, or any section thereof, are granted and accepted by all parties receiving licenses with the express understanding that the Board of Trustees of said City may revoke the same at any time by amending this ordinance or any portion thereof, or if satisfied that any condition of the license or terms of this ordinance have been violated, or that the license was obtained by fraudulent representation, or that the holder of any such license is an unfit person to be trusted with the privileges granted by such license; provided, however, that no license shall be revoked without first giving the holder thereof an opportunity to appear before the Board of Trustees in his own behalf by the notification in writing to the holder of such license giving and fixing the time and place of such hearing. Upon revocation of the license, no part of the money in the hands of the City shall be returned and all such license fees shall be forfeited to the City. When the license of any such person is revoked in no case shall another license be granted to the same person within six months of the date of such revocation.

Section 36.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance are hereby expressly repealed.

The City Clerk shall certify to the passage of this ordinance by a two-thirds vote of all of the members of the Board of Trustees of the City of Tropic, and shall cause the same to be published by one insertion in the Tropic Interurban Sentinel, a weekly newspaper of general circulation published and circulated in the City of Tropic, and thirty days thereafter the same shall be in full force and effect.

Adopted and approved this 5th day of October, 1915.

DANIEL WEBSTER,
Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the City of Tropic.

Attest:
NELSON C. BURCH,
City Clerk of the City of Tropic.

State of California,
County of Los Angeles,
City of Tropic, ss: I, Nelson C. Burch, City Clerk of the City of Tropic, do hereby certify that the whole number of members of the Board of Trustees of the City of Tropic is five, and that the foregoing Ordinance was passed and adopted by a vote of two-thirds of all the members and approved by the President of said Board at a regular meeting thereof held on the 5th day of October, 1915, and that the same was passed by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes: Trustees
Alpach,
Boyce,
Conrad,
Henry,
Webster.
Noes:
None.
Absent:
None.